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In The Application Of: T. J. Klofta, et al.

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Examiner : K. M. George

For: Film-Forming Compositions for Protecting Skin from Body Fluids and Articles Made  
Therefrom**REPLY AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.113**Mail Stop AF  
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Dear Sir:

This response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed on August 6, 2003, which set a three-month period for response. Please consider the following remarks.

*Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.*